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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/028,016

Applicant: R. Lawrence Ives

Filed: April 5, 2002

5 For: Depressed Collector for Electron Beams

Examiner: A. Minh

GAU: 2821

Reference to the Examiner's Action mailed February 12, 2003

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

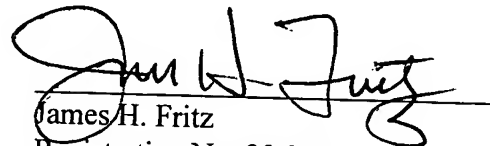
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.136, applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks for a two month extension of time for the response of the above
15 referenced application. The fee of \$205.00 required under 37 CFR 1.17(a) is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,


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